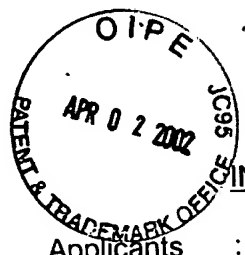


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Andreas POHL, et al.
Serial No. : 09/402,155
Filed : December 6, 1999
For : SPRING/MASS VIRBATORY FORCE COUPLER
Art Unit : 3613
Examiner : Benjamin A. Pezzlo

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Sir:

1. This is a petition to extend the period of time three (3) months for filing a response to the Office Action dated October 10, 2001.

2. Applicant is:

- ☐ a small entity
- ☒ other than small entity

3. <u>Extension</u> <u>(months)</u>	<u>Fee for other than</u> <u>small entity</u>	<u>Fee for</u> <u>small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 400.00	\$200.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 920.00	\$460.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,440.00	\$720.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$1,960.00	\$980.00

Fee \$ 810.00 *

*Applicants authorize the Office to charge \$920.00 less the \$110.00 charged for the Petition for One-Month Extension of Time fax-mailed on February 6, 2002.

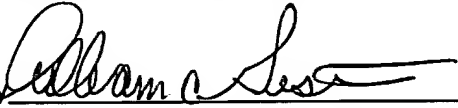
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4. A Continued Prosecution Application is filed herewith.
5. Charge the petition fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263 and for any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

NORRIS McLAUGHLIN & MARCUS, P.A.

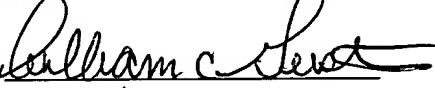
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